## **Comparisons of Job Characteristics**

Focus Occupation: First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers (49-1011) Associated Occupation: Maintenance and Repair Workers, General (49-9042)

Compare Knowledge
Compare Skills
Compare Abilities
Compare Detailed Work Activities
Compare Tools and Technologies

<<	Focus occupation element is much lower
<	Focus occupation element is lower
0	Focus occupation element is at a similar level
>	Focus occupation element is at a higher level
>>	Focus occupation element is at a much higher level

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### Knowledge

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 60

Focus Occupation: First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers (49-1011) Associated Occupation: Maintenance and Repair Workers, General (49-9042)

Associated Occupation's Key Knowledge Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation	
Mechanical	6.8	19.3	19.8	0	Current knowledge level may be sufficient
Building and Construction	4.0	14.3	9.3	<<	Extensive education and/or training may be required
Public Safety and Security	6.9	12.0	8.9	<<	Extensive education and/or training may be required
Design	5.2	11.7	9.1	<	Expanded education and/or training may be required
Engineering and Technology	5.7	10.3	12.2	>	Current knowledge level is likely sufficient
Physics	4.3	8.8	6.7	<<	Extensive education and/or training may be required

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O\*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

#### **Skills**

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation:

Focus Occupation: First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers (49-1011) Associated Occupation: Maintenance and Repair Workers, General (49-9042)

Associated Occupation's Key Skills Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation	
Equipment Maintenance	3.5	12.7	10.1	<	A higher skill level may be required
Repairing	3.4	12.3	10.0	<	A higher skill level may be required
Troubleshooting	4.5	10.0	10.4	0	Current skill level may be sufficient
Quality Control Analysis	5.9	9.8	11.6	>	Skill level is likely sufficient
Equipment Selection	3.3	9.5	7.5	<	A higher skill level may be required
Installation	1.7	8.3	3.4	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required

The maximum possible rating is 25.

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## **Abilities**

#### Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 64

Focus Occupation: First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers (49-1011) Associated Occupation: Maintenance and Repair Workers, General (49-9042)

Associated Occupation's Key Abilities Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation	
Information Ordering	9.9	13.3	11.6	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Multilimb Coordination	6.0	11.8	9.0	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Manual Dexterity	6.5	11.4	7.7	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Visualization	7.5	11.0	10.4	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Static Strength	5.0	9.8	6.3	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Extent Flexibility	4.8	9.2	5.3	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Speed of Limb Movement	3.2	5.8	5.8	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Gross Body Equilibrium	3.2	5.6	3.8	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O\*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

# **Activities that Both Occupations Have in Common**

Similarity of Focus
Occupation to Associated
Occupation: 65

Focus Occupation: First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers (49-1011) Associated Occupation: Maintenance and Repair Workers, General (49-9042)

Work Activities	Exclusivity of Activity
Determine installation, service, or repair needed	58
Diagnose mechanical problems in machinery or equipment	65
Inspect machinery or equipment to determine adjustments or repairs needed	42
Read blueprints	10
Read schematics	34
Read specifications	23
Read technical drawings	7
Read work order, instructions, formulas, or processing charts	9
Requisition stock, materials, supplies or equipment	54
Understand service or repair manuals	40
Understand technical operating, service or repair manuals	6

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily perform all of the listed activities. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the activity is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations engage in that activity.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O\*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

## **Tools and Technologies that Both Occupations Have in Common**

Similarity of Focus
Occupation to Associated
Occupation: 84

Focus Occupation: First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers (49-1011) Associated Occupation: Maintenance and Repair Workers, General (49-9042)

Tools and Technologies	Exclusivity
Business function specific software	1
Computers	1
Content authoring and editing software	1
Industry specific software	1
Information exchange software	1
Network applications software	1
Personal communication devices	2

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily use all of the listed tools and technologies. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the tool or technology is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations use that tool or technology.

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